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April 14, 2000

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	37	-	38	=	0	\$18	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	1	-	3	=	0	\$78	\$0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE CLAIM						\$260	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$0.00

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\boxtimes	Petition for three (3) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$870.00 for the extension of time.
	No fee is required.
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	Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.
	If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this,

concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17;

particularly, extension of time fees. Respectfully submitted,

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